

Before the  
**FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION**  
Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of	)	
Section 63.71 Application of	)	Docket No. _____
OpenBand of Virginia, LLC	)	
to Discontinue Services	)	
	)	

**AMENDED SECTION 63.71 APPLICATION**

On August 15, 2018, OpenBand of Virginia, LLC (“OpenBand”) submitted an application for authority to discontinue offering communications services to the residents of the Lansdowne on the Potomac subdivision in Loudoun County, Virginia, pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act and Section 63.71 of the Federal Communications Commission’s (“Commission”) rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.71. OpenBand is discontinuing service to the subdivision in connection with the sale of most of its communications network at Lansdowne on the Potomac to Comcast Cable Communications Management, LLC (“Comcast”), with which the Lansdowne on the Potomac Homeowners Association recently entered into a bulk-services agreement for the provision of video and Internet services to residents.

OpenBand’s application indicated that it planned to discontinue service to affected customers on or about October 15, 2018, which is the date when Comcast expected to complete its network deployment to serve Lansdowne residents. However, at Comcast’s request, OpenBand and Comcast recently agreed that OpenBand would continue providing service to subdivision residents beyond October 15, 2018 pursuant to a facility lease agreement by which OpenBank leases the network assets it sold to Comcast to ensure continuity of service. This agreement now gives Comcast until November 15, 2018 to complete its network deployment.

Accordingly, OpenBand respectfully amends its Section 63.71 Application to reflect its plan to discontinue service on or about November 15, 2018. OpenBand recently sent customers an updated service discontinuance notice reflecting this change, a copy of which is attached.

OpenBand respectfully requests that the Commission approve its Section 63.71 Application to discontinue service.

September 18, 2018

Respectfully submitted,

By: /s/ *James Brabham*

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that the foregoing Amended Section 63.71 Application was served this 18th day of September 2018, by mailing true and correct copies thereof, postage prepaid, to the following persons at the addresses listed below.

Secretary of Defense  
Attn: Special Assistance for Telecommunications  
Pentagon  
Washington, DC 20301

State Corporation Commission  
Commonwealth of Virginia  
Attn: Joel H. Peck, Clerk of the Commission  
P.O. Box 1197  
Richmond, VA 23218

Office of Governor Ralph S. Northam  
Office of the Governor  
P.O. Box 1475  
Richmond, VA 23218



## CUSTOMER NOTIFICATION



From: [customerservice@support.openband.net](mailto:customerservice@support.openband.net)  
Subject: OpenBand Service to Lansdowne on the Potomac  
Extended

September 11,  
2018

### OpenBand Service to Lansdowne on the Potomac Extended

Dear OpenBand Customer,

Please be advised that OpenBand will continue to provide service to residents of Lansdowne on the Potomac (LOTP) beyond October 15, 2018, which is the date that Comcast had expected to complete its network deployment in the subdivision.

OpenBand continues to communicate with Comcast to ensure a smooth provider transition for LOTP residents. As Comcast completes construction and the ongoing activation of LOTP customers under its bulk-services agreement with the LOTP Homeowners Association, OpenBand has agreed to delay service discontinuance in LOTP until on or about **November 15, 2018**, after which OpenBand will cease providing all communications services within the LOTP property. The affected services that OpenBand will no longer provide to LOTP residents upon discontinuance include voice, video, Internet, and security monitoring.

#### Complete Comcast Installations Soon

At this point, all LOTP residents should be in contact with Comcast and have completed or scheduled appointments for fiber installation and service installation. If you have not scheduled one or more of these appointments, please do so immediately. Access Comcast service details, contact information and scheduling tools via the myXfinity page for LOTP: <https://lansdowne.myxfinityupdate.com/>

Once you know your Comcast service installation/activation date, be sure to contact OpenBand Customer Service to schedule termination of your OpenBand services.

#### OpenBand Potomac Club Office

With this extension, OpenBand will also continue customer service operations within the Potomac Club through Thursday, November 15, 2018. The standard hours of operation for OpenBand's Potomac Club office are: Monday-Friday; 9AM – 1PM and 2PM – 6PM. Upon terminating OpenBand services, LOTP residents should return all OpenBand video equipment to the Potomac Club office during these hours.

#### Service Discontinuance

OpenBand's discontinuance of service at LOTP is subject to the authorization of the Federal Communications Commission (the "FCC"). The FCC will normally authorize this proposed discontinuance of service unless it is shown that customers would be unable to receive service or a reasonable substitute from another carrier or that the public convenience and necessity is otherwise adversely affected. If you wish to object, you should file your comments as soon as possible, but no later than 15 days after the Commission releases public notice of the proposed discontinuance. You may file your comments electronically through the FCC's Electronic Comment Filing System using the docket number established in the Commission's public notice for this proceeding, or you may address them to the Federal Communications Commission, Wireline Competition Bureau, Competition Policy Division, Washington, DC 20554, and include in your comments a reference to the § 63.71 Application of OpenBand at Lansdowne, LLC. Comments should include specific information about the impact of this proposed discontinuance upon you, including any inability to acquire reasonable substitute service.

Thank you for your continued cooperation. Please contact OpenBand Customer Service with any questions or concerns.

Thank you,  
OpenBand Customer Service

OpenBand Customer Service  
(703) 961-1110

<http://support.openband.net>